



Breakthrough: Elizabeth Hughes, the Discovery of Insulin, and the Making of a Medical Miracle.

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Recalling the desperate fight for life that used to be waged by juvenile diabetes patients, ***Breakthrough: Elizabeth Hughes, the Discovery of Insulin, and the Making of a Medical Miracle*** explores the amazing collaborative efforts of science, government, higher education and industry that led to the discovery of insulin.

Author Thea Cooper reads from her book and shares insights into the early days of starvation diet therapies and the discovery and manufacture of insulin; to the current state of research, development, treatment and demography of diabetes. With an overview of today's alarming increase in the prevalence of Type 1 and Type 2 diabetes, ***Breakthrough*** provides a look at the ways in which individuals, families and institutions can address this health crisis.

Join us for this fascinating journey through the early days of diagnosis and treatment. Of interest to those with diabetes, their loved ones, and those who treat them, be sure to call to reserve your place today.

WHEN: Thursday, November 11, 2010
6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

WHERE: Glaser Auditorium
Swedish Medical Center, First Hill
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